THE

SOUTH-CAROLINA GAZETTE,

Containing the freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtick.

Monday, *November* 17th, 1746. [*Numb.* 657.]

LONDON.

His Majeſty's moſt Gracious SPEECH *to both Houſes of Parliament, on* Tueſday *the* 12*th Day of* Auguſt, 1746.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

I CANNOT put an End to this Seſſions of Parliament, without expreſſing to you My entire Satisfaction in your Proceedings. The Zeal and Vigour which you have ſo unanimouſly ſhewn for the Support of my Government; for ſuppreſſing the late Rebellion; and for bringing the Guilty to Juſtice, in which you have been ſo univerſally ſeconded by My good Subjects, have not only fully anſwered My Expectations but give me the beſt Aſſurance, that you are determined to perfect this good Work, by ſettling Our Tranquillity at Home upon ſolid Foundations; and extinguiſhing the Hopes of the Pretender, and all his Adherents.

The Powers, which they thought fit to repoſe in Me on this Occaſion, have been employed in the moſt proper and effectual Manner, and made ſtrictly ſubſervient to thoſe Purpoſes only, for which you intended them: And it has pleaſed the Divine Providence, in a moſt ſignal Manner, to bleſs the Meaſures we have taken, with Succeſs. I am very ſenſible, there are Matters of great Moment ſtill behind, which are neceſſary for our laſting Security, and preventing the like Calamities for the future; but as a Foundation is prudently laid for your proceeding upon them in the next Seſſion, I was unwilling to detain you longer out of your reſpective Counties, at this advanced Seaſon of the Year.

I have the Satisfaction to acquaint you, that the Poſture of Affairs Abroad appears more favourable than when I laſt ſpoke to you. As ſoon as the Safety of My own Kingdoms would permit, I ſent ſuch a Body of Troops, as could be ſpared from hence, to ſtrengthen the Allied Army in the *Netherlands*, for the Defence of the *United Provinces*, and oppoſing the further Progreſs of *France* on that Side. By Means of this Succour, and the other powerful Aſſiſtances, which you have enabled Me to furniſh, that Army has been very conſiderably augmented, and become much ſtronger than was expected at the Beginning of the Year. This Event, together with the happy Succeſſes of the *Auſtrian* and *Sardinian* Armies in *Italy*, and ſome other Incidents, which have happened to the Advantage of the Common Cauſe, give Us a better Proſpect of bringing our Enemies to Reaſon, and procuring a ſafe and honourable Peace, which is my great End and Aim.

Gentlemen of the Houſe of Commons.

The great Readineſs and Chearfulneſs, with which you have granted Me the Supplies for the current Year, require my particular Thanks. I am very ſenſible of the extraordinary Difficulties, which the Circumſtances of the Times brought upon this important Service, and upon the Publick Credit in general; and which nothing but your Prudence and Firmneſs could have overcome. What you have given, ſhall be ſtrictly applied to the Purpoſes you intended: And you cannot but have obſerved My Deſire to leſſen the Publick Expence, as far as poſſible, by taking the firſt Opportunity to diſband thoſe Regiments, which the laudable and active Zeal of ſeveral of my faithful Subjects, of the firſt Rank and Diſtinction, had added to our Strength on this Occaſion.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

I have had ſuch ample Experience of Your unſhaken Fidelity, and of your Affection and Attachment to Me and My Family, that I rely, with the utmoſt Confidence, on your future Conduct. I cannot doubt, that, during this Receſs, you will, in your ſeveral Stations, uſe your utmoſt Endeavours to reſtore and preſerve the Peace of the Kingdom; to heal the Wounds which this unnatural Rebellion may have made; and to encourage and cultivate in My Subjects that Spirit of Loyalty and of Zeal for the preſent

ſent Eſtabliſhment, which has ſo remarkably appeared; the Impreſſions of it ſhall ever remain upon my Mind, and be demonſtrated by the Continuance of my Vigilance, and Endeavours to make them a happy People.

Both Houſes were then prorogued to Tueſday the 30th of *September* next.

Extract of a Letter from the Hague

COUNT *Roſemburg*, who is to ſet out for *Lisbon* to aid the *Britiſh* Miniſter at the Court of *Portugal* in the Negociations for a Peace between *Spain* and *Great Britain*, will, in order to ſee what Turn Affairs may take, ſtay ſome Time at *London*; from whence Mr. *Keene* is, at length, ſet out for *Lisbon*, having only deferr'd his Departure till Aſſurances were received of the good Diſpoſitions of the Court of *Lisbon* and *Madrid*. It's now certain, that the Marquis *Tabuzaga*, who ſome time ſince went from *London* on a very important Errand, is at *Buen Retiro*, where he was very graciouſly received by his *Catholick* Majeſty; and that Count *Furnita*, whom his *Portugueſe* Majeſty ſent to the King of *Spain*, is charg'd, in the firſt Place, to propoſe a ſtrict Treaty of Alliance between the two Crowns of *Spain* and *Portugal*, that may put an End to all Subjects of Contention between the two Courts; and, ſecondly, offer the Mediation of the King of *Portugal* for re eſtabliſhing Peace between their *Catholick* and *Britannick* Majeſties, the Preliminaries whereof are ſaid to be,

1 A Suſpenſion of Arms by Sea and Land, till an entire Concluſion of a Peace be effected.

2. That the Commerce and Navigation in the *Eaſt* and *Weſt-Indies* ſhall be eſtabliſhed upon the ſame Footing that it was in the Reign of his *Catholick* Majeſty *Charles* the *ſecond*.

3 That the King of *Spain* ſhall ſolemnly renounce for ever all Right and Title to *Gibraltar* and *Port Mahon*.

4. That his *Catholick* Majeſty ſhall abandon the Project of forming in *Italy* an Eſtabliſhment for Don *Philip*, but ſhall give his Royal Highneſs ſome conſiderable Employment in *Spain*, and the Rights of that Prince, if he has any, ſhall be examined into and adjuſted, in a future Congreſs.

5. That Don *Carlos* ſhall be maintained in the Poſſeſſion of the Throne of the Two *Sicilies*, upon his renouncing all Pretenſions whatſoever upon the Poſſeſſions of the Court of *Vienna*

6. That there ſhall be a perpetual defenſive Alliance between their *Catholick* and *Britannick* Majeſties, for guarantying their reſpective Dominions, and even an offenſive one, in caſe that either of them ſhould be attack'd by any Power whatſoever.

Theſe Articles have been ſent to the Court of *Lisbon*, in order to be the Baſis of a Treaty which will probably ſoo be concluded.

CHARLES-TOWN, November 17.

Yeſterday arrived the Schooner *Charles* belonging to this Port. She was taken the 1ſt Inſtant, about a League to the Northward of the Bar of *St. Auguſtine*, by the Boat of a *French* Privateer Schooner commanded by Monſ. *Bruneau*, and two Days afterwards was recovered out of the Enemy's Poſſeſſion by the ſignal Bravery and Reſolution of the Mate Mr. *Samuel Coon*. The Reader may depend on the Truth of every Circumſtance of the following Relation. The Captain and Paſſengers were carried on board the Privateer, and the Mate, two Men, a Boy, and a Negro met with very ſcurvy Treatment at the Hands of the Lieutenant, two *Frenchmen*, and a *Spaniard*, to whom the Care of the Prize was committed. The Mate having obſerved that the *Charles* outſailed the Privateer, propoſed ſeveral Times to the People to ſurprize the Enemy and recover the Veſſel, but the white Men abſolutely refuſed to be concerned in the Enterprize, and the Negro gave but a faint Conſent. However Mr. *Coon* reſolved to make the Attempt by himſelf, and happily accompliſhed his Purpoſe in this Manner. On the 3d Inſtant, early in the Morning, the Privateer and her Prize weighed and ſtood out to Sea. About 8 o'Clock, (at which Time the Schooner was near a Mile a head of the Privateer,) the Lieutenant ordered the Veſſel to be put about, and as he and another *Frenchman* were going to haul aft the Main-ſheet, the Mate, who was then in the Boat, knocked them both down with a Handſpike. He then hoped to maſter the other two with leſs Violence, and accordingly gave one of them only a ſlight Puſh, and order'd 'em both into the Forecaſtle. But they ran forward, ſnatched up a Couple of Handſpikes, and returned upon the Mate, who made a Stroke at one of them, but miſſed him and received a Blow upon his Head and Shoulders which knocked him down the Hatchway. The *Frenchman* attempted to repeat his Blow, but ſtruck the Fore-boom, which gave the Mate Time to recover himſelf and knock down one of the remaining two. Then the other ran towards Cabbin, probably with a View to arm himſelf with a Cutlaſs or Piſtols, but the Negro Fellow, who was ſtanding near the Cabbin Door, catched him in his Arms and prevented his entering the Cabbin. Upon the Mate's coming up, the *Frenchman* diſengaged himſelf from the Negro and ran forward, the Mate purſued and knocked him down alſo, and having thus cleared the Stage, *without any Aſſiſtance from his Countrymen*, he made all the Sail he could, and in Four Hours loſt Sight of the Privateer. The third Day after, he arrived off this Bar, where his Veſſel has lain during the late hazy Weather. The Blows received by the Lieutenant and one of the *Frenchmen* proved mortal, but the other two ſoon coming to themſelves and calling for Quarter, Mr. *Coon* dreſſed their Wounds and took all poſſible Care of them.

Monſ *Bruneau* (ſome Days before he took the *Charles*) took a Sloop from *New York*, bound to *Frederica*.

From *Jamaica*, we have the melancholly News of the Death of *Thomas Davers*, Eſq; (an Admiral, and Commander in Chief of a Squadron of his Majeſty's Ships at that Iſland) univerſally regretted.

Juſt now is arrived here, a *Spaniſh* Privateer Sloop, of 12 Carriage and 12 Swivel Guns, and 60 Men, taken off the *Havanna* by the *Prince Charles* Privateer of *Briſtol*, commanded by Capt *George Gyles*: She had been a Concert of *Avilesbea's*, and lately took three Veſſels on this Coaſt. Some Days after Capt. *Gyles* took this Privateer, he drove a large Sloop aſhore 7 Leagues to Windward of the *Havanna*.

By ſome Veſſels juſt arrived from *London*, we have Advice, that Admiral *Leſtock* had arrived in the Bay of *Biſcay*, and was to have landed his Troops on the South Weſt Coaſt of *France*, (where the Proteſtants were ripe for Rebellion, ſome Nobles of that Perſuaſion having been committed to the Gallies, ſome put to the moſt cruel Deaths, and others confined in Priſons, &c) but was returning, without having effected any Thing.

CUSTOM HOUSE, *CHARLES-TOWN*,

Entered Inwards.

Ship Chriſtian, Peter Jeffery, from London.
Snow Wm & Eliz. Peter Alliſon, from Plymouth.
Schooner St. Joſeph, David Jenkins, and
Schooner Speedwell, James Howell, from the *Spaniſh* Coaſt.
Schooner Relief, Benjamin Gilbert,
Sloop Ruby, John Conyers,
Sloop Anne, Benjamin Stovell, and
Sloop Elizabeth, Stephen Tucker, from Bermuda.
Sloop Jolly Batcheler, Nathan Clark, and
Sloop Sparrow, Reſolved Waterman, from Rhode Iſland.
Sloop Anne, Richard Willer, and
Sloop Mary, Peter Godfrey, from Jamaica.
Sloop Succeſs, John Joyner, from Frederica.

Entered Outwards.

Ship Daniel, Thomas Summerſet, and
Snow Wm & Eliz. Peter Alliſon, for London.
Ship Succeſs, Thomas Perkins, and
Snow Samuel, Thomas Higgins, for Portugal.
Billander Vernon, Thomas Reeks, for Poole.
Schooner Relief, Solomon Saltus, for Antigua.
Sloop Elizabeth, Stephen Tucker, for Jamaica.
Sloop Ruby, John Conyers, for St. Kitts.

Cleared for Departure.

Schooner Mercury, William Marſh, to Virginia.
Schooner Georgia Packet, James Ramſay, to Curacoa.
Schooner Dorcheſter, Joſeph Roberts, and
Sloop Alexander, John Howard, to Providence.
Sloop Pelling, Samuel Appowin, and
Sloop Induſtry, John Stow, to Antigua.

Market Price this Week, of the following Produce.

New Rice, 20 *ſh. per Cr. Wt.*	Corn, 10 *ſ.* 0 *d.* per Buſhel.
Old Rice, 12 *s.* 6 *d.*	Peaſe, *Ditto.*
Pitch, 25 *ſ.* 0 *d.*	Deer Skins, 16 *ſ.* 0 *d. per lb.*
Tar, 20 *s.*	Turp. Oyl, 15 *s. per Gallon.*
Turpentine, 10 *s.*	Sallad Oyl, 15 *s. per Quart.*

Lewis,

Advertiſements.

TO BE SOLD, by *Robert Sigſton*, Tobacconiſt, at the Houſe of Mrs. *Wickham* in *King ſtreet*, and at Mr *Thomas Tew's* in *Middle ſtreet*, beſt cut and dried TOBACCO; by the Quantity, at 5 *ſh per Pound*, and paper'd at 1 s 6 d. And choice PIGTAIL, at 10 *s* to 12 *s.* 6 *d.*

THE Anniverſary Meeting of *St. Andrew's* Club will be held on Monday the firſt of *December* next, at the Houſe of Mr. *Charles Shepheard* in *Broad ſtreet*.

John Rattray.

RUN AWAY from the Subſcriber, 2 Negro Fellows named *Will* and *Harry*, lately belonging to Mr. *Codner*. Whoever takes up and brings the ſaid Fellows to me on *John's-Iſland*, ſhall have 5 *l.* Reward. *William McClure.*

TO BE SOLD, a likely young Negro Wench that can waſh and iron as well as moſt Wenches in the Province. Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe the ſaid Wench, may enquire of the Printer.

At a Court of Common Pleas, begun and holden at Charles Town the 11th Day of November, 1746.

EDWARD HANLEY, DAVID DAVIS, and JAMES McCANTS, having been duely ſummoned and returned to ſerve as Jurors for the ſaid Court, made Default, for which they and each of them are fineable at *Five Pounds Proclamation Money* each, unleſs they and each of them can ſhew good and ſufficient Excuſe, upon Oath, why the ſaid Fines ſhould not be reſpectively levied at the ſaid Court, to be holden on the *Firſt Tueſday* in *January* next, purſuant to the Directions of the Act of the General Aſſembly in that Caſe made and provided.

JAMES WEDDERBURN,
Clerk of the Common Pleas.

TO BE SOLD at publick Vendue, on Thurſday the 4th of *December* next, at the Plantation of *Job Rothmahler*, Eſq; deceaſed, in the Pariſh of *St James Goose Creek*, all the perſonal Eſtate of the ſaid *Rothmahler*, conſiſting of about Fifty valuable Plantation Slaves (ſome of which are Tradeſmen and Houſe Wenches, and many of the young ones this Country born) Horſes, Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Rice, Corn and Peaſe, ſome Houſhould Goods, a Stone Mill for grinding Corn, and a Sett of Blackſmith's Tools. Credit will be given for Twelve Months, paying Intereſt and giving Security if required for all Sums above 20 *l.* Under for preſent Pay. — All Perſons that have any Demands on the ſaid Eſtate, are deſired to bring in their Accompts properly atteſted, that Meaſures may be taken to diſcharge the ſame.

Joſeph Roders on *Santee-River*, three Miles below *Murray's* Ferry, informs me, that he has taken up a bright bay Horſe, 3 Years old, about 13 Hands high, with a Snip or Blaze down his Face, his near hind Foot white, and unbranded

John Myers on *Lynch's* Creek, about 24 Miles above *Keith's* Ferry, alſo informs, that he has taken up two young Mares, the one a black without any Fleſh Marks, the other a ſorrel with a ſmall Star in her Forehead, both unbranded.

John James in *Williamsburgh* Townſhip, informs, that a ſtray Sorrel Horſe keeps in his Paſture, with a Blaze down his Face, and branded on the off Buttock IG, about 13 Hands high; and that a red Cow, with ſome white Spots about her Legs and Tail, keeps with his Cattle, branded on the Rump ◁ with an *S* across, and mark'd with a ſhort Crop in the left Ear, and an under Keel in the other. Whoever claims any of the ſaid Creatures, may have them, paying the Charges and proving their Property before *William Flemming*, J.P.

TO BE SOLD by *Elizabeth Timothy*, next to the Printing Office, in *King ſtreet*.

POCKET Bibles, Primmers, Horn books, *Dyche's* Spelling-Books, Reflections on Courtſhip and Marriage, *Armſtrong's* Poem on Health, the *Weſtminſter* Confeſſion of Faith, *Pamela*, *Watt's* Pſalms and Hymns, and divine Songs for Children, the Familiar Inſtructor, *Cato* on old Age, an Eſſay on the dry Gripes, Bills of Lading, Bonds, Mortgages, Bills of Sale, Indentures for Servants and Apprentices, Powers of Attorney, Indemnifying and Arbitration Bonds, Writs, Ink powder, and Quills, all very cheap.

The Co-partnerſhip lately ſubſiſting between *Moreau Zarrazin* and *William Wright* of *Charleſtown*, Goldſmiths, being diſſolved, all Gentlemen and others who will favour the Subſcriber with their Cuſtom, may have their Coats of Arms engrav'd on Plate and ſunk in Seals, Motto and Mourning Rings made, and all ſorts of Goldſmith's, Jeweller's, and Silverſmith's Work done in the beſt and neateſt Manner, at his Houſe in *Elliot-Street*, next Door to Mr. *Tew's*; where he will alſo teach Fencing, or at the private Habitations of ſuch Gentlemen as incline to learn that noble Science.

MOREAU ZARRAZIN.

JUST IMPORTED in the *Suſannah*, Capt. *Linthorn*, from *London*, moſt Kinds of Goods proper for the Seaſon, and to be ſold very reaſonably on the Bay, by

Kenneth & Benjamin Michie.

I have long ſince given Notice, either verbally or by Letter, to moſt of thoſe indebted to me, of my Reſolution to quit the Province in a ſhort Time, in order to induce them to diſcharge their Accompts with me; However, as it has had very little Effect, I now again give 'em this *publick* and *LAST* Notice, that all Debts due to me, and undiſcharged by the 15th Day of *January* next, will be collected by the Hands of an Attorney at Law. *John Biſwicke*

N B. The few Goods I have remaining on Hand, will be ſold very cheap for ready Money.

SIMMONS, SMITH, & *Company*, gives this LAST Notice, to all Perſons indebted to them, that they diſcharge their reſpective Debts by the *Firſt* Day of *January* next, or at leaſt to come and ſettle with them in the beſt Manner in their Power. Thoſe who neglect ſo to do, may depend on being ſued immediately after that Time; as there is a Neceſſity for letling the Concerns of that Co-partnerſhip. —— Rice, or any other Produce will be received in Payment by them, at the Market Price.

RUN AWAY ſome Time in the paſt Summer, a tall, well ſet, very black, ſtrait and likely Negro Fellow, named *CUFFEE*, belonging to Mrs. *Catherine Cattell* at *Long-Savannah*, has a large deep Scar on his right Arm between the Shoulder and Elbow, this Country born, ſpeaks good *Engliſh*, and had on when he went away (but may have chang'd his Cloaths) a garlix Shirt, oznaburg Breeches, homeſpun Jacket, and an old red great Coat; he has been lately ſeen at ſeveral times in Town, and has work'd among the Shipping, wherefore all Perſons are hereby ſtrictly forwarn'd, not to harbour, entertain, carry off, or employ the ſaid Fellow, on pain of being proſecuted with the utmoſt Severity. Whoever ſecures and delivers the ſaid Fellow to the Printer hereof, or to the Warden of the Work Houſe in *Charles-Town*, ſhall have *Five Pounds* Currency, as a Reward.

STRAY'D on Wedneſday the 5th Inſtant, out of Mr. *Thomas Butler's* Paſture on *Charleſtown* Neck, two large grey Horſes, branded with the Letters IC and a Diamond over them; alſo a ſmall bay Horſe, branded 15. Whoever brings the ſaid Horſes to Mr. *Butler* aforeſaid, ſhall have 3 *l.* Currency Reward for each, of *James Coſſins.*

JUST IMPORTED, and to be ſold by *Simmons* and *Rocke*, at their Store on the Bay, Oznaburgs, broad Cloths and Trimmings, Womens callimanco and ſtuff damask Shoes, and ſundry other Goods ſuitable to the Place and Seaſon.

WHEREAS *Robert Scott* of *Charles-Town*, Shop keeper, (as principal Creditor) hath obtained the Adminiſtration of the Eſtate of *Iſrael Deveaux* late of the ſaid Town Peruke maker and Fencing maſter, deceaſed, whereby ſeveral promiſary Notes and Book-Debts due to the ſaid Eſtate are come into his Hands; all Perſons indebted to the ſaid Eſtate, are therefore deſired to diſcharge the ſame immediately, or expect to be ſued by the ſaid *Robert Scott.*